
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO OUT-OF-STATE MARRIAGES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 572-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§572-3 Contracted without the State. Marriages between a
4 man and a woman legal in the country where contracted shall be
5 held legal in the courts of this State. Marriages which are
6 legal in the United States jurisdiction where contracted shall
7 be held legal in the courts of this state."

8 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

9 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Out-of-State Marriages

Description:

Requires Hawaii state courts to recognize marriages legal in the United States' jurisdiction in which they were contracted.

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